



# Holy Family Hospital

An Institution of the Order of Malta

*"Where there is always a place in the inn for all"*

By Dr. Robert Tabash  
Director of Administration



## Neonatal Scientific Day

On April 16, a scientific day was held organized by the team of our neonatology department under the leadership of Dr. Hania Al-Jouzy, on "Neonatal Care at Holy Family Hospital, recent guidelines and statistical reviews" was held at International Center of Bethlehem. More than 130 pediatricians, resident doctors and nurses from whole of Palestine (Jerusalem, Nablus, Jenin, Hebron, Ramallah, Nazareth ..... ) attended this meeting which began the evening before with a tour of the hospital followed by dinner. It was a real success and all people who attended were very impressed by the high scientific level and the quality of care given in our hospital. The event was sponsored by USAID, the Medical Supplies and Services Company and the Beit Jala Pharmaceutical Company.

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## Visitors

Mr. Joseph Miller, President of the American Association of the Order of Malta accompanied by several members of the order visited the hospital while on a pilgrimage led by Mgr. Wallin.

## New LOOK

This summer, the patient rooms and all the Postnatal Ward at HFH will be completely refurbished. The infrastructure works will be executed within the EWAS II Program funded by USAID and managed by ANERA and the procurement is being carried out thanks to a generous grant by USAID to the hospital.

## Welcome back

Mrs. Juliana Abu Ghazaleh, our Secretary who had left HFH after 14 years of dedicated work and who now returns to her old job.

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## EDITORIAL

While the peace process has reached a serious deadlock and as there is not the faintest glimmer of hope for a quick solution of this conflict which has mobilized diplomats for decades, we are duty bound to keep our optimism; our work at Holy Family Hospital helps us to overcome weariness and disappointment that this conflict will get further stuck in a conflict for a long time.

fronted with public rumors and afraid to be persecuted; all this because of lack of confidence and faith in God.

Don't we sometimes behave like the Apostles, not attempting the impossible to release ourselves from our own interior jails: jealousy, pride, power, unwillingness to understand others....and above all a lack of trust in God?

A cry of a newborn baby pierces the silence of the delivery ward – life - the smile of a mother who at that moment doesn't think about the problems which worry the world politicians. This lady who became mother has her eyes only on her newborn, this little creature, defenseless, symbol of life, of a new hope. This also is an integral part of our daily life in Bethlehem. All things considered, we are favored by being witnesses of these daily miracles of life.

No step or no effort made for the purposes of the spiritual life, of peace and encountering our neighbors are ever wasted. Whether the fruit of our efforts is visible or not remains to be seen, but in any case it will leave a mark.

After the resurrection of our Lord the Apostles, enclosed themselves in a room, afraid to be confronted with their disappointment to have seen the Lord dying at the cross, afraid to be con-



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*“Do we lack  
confidence and faith in  
God.?”*

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# ACTIVITY REPORT

## Monthly Deliveries

The number of monthly deliveries since 1990 is as follows:

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
<b>JAN</b>	0	93	128	143	146	148	181	205	217	162	250	158	180	159	238	224	240	230	248	221	258
<b>FEB</b>	4	69	97	150	157	130	183	180	192	165	239	155	152	165	220	221	218	228	217	239	221
<b>MAR</b>	46	93	133	184	149	168	164	220	194	217	231	160	142	179	224	231	217	313	259	236	265
<b>APR</b>	68	87	116	181	135	180	180	207	185	213	274	146	82	195	222	240	216	322	270	280	298
<b>MAY</b>	85	92	124	170	153	188	224	233	221	246	288	195	129	214	196	238	237	366	340	284	
<b>JUN</b>	85	106	145	177	145	202	212	222	227	276	294	156	132	239	252	258	219	277	291	275	
<b>JUL</b>	84	101	151	165	172	188	209	261	234	302	329	148	136	249	232	235	243	276	294	328	
<b>AUG</b>	71	90	151	173	163	199	226	219	244	299	309	161	122	227	246	235	256	264	279	280	
<b>SEP</b>	109	103	154	171	172	167	192	241	199	276	275	146	143	220	224	234	280	233	260	261	
<b>OCT</b>	116	109	154	166	172	193	198	255	211	273	223	134	138	240	243	257	295	255	277	297	
<b>NOV</b>	97	87	150	146	149	203	196	205	161	282	165	145	121	191	221	213	257	224	241	247	
<b>DEC</b>	104	105	153	127	163	198	194	240	180	266	175	135	140	203	227	207	268	238	248	265	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>1135</b>	<b>1656</b>	<b>1953</b>	<b>1876</b>	<b>2164</b>	<b>2359</b>	<b>2688</b>	<b>2465</b>	<b>2977</b>	<b>3052</b>	<b>1839</b>	<b>1617</b>	<b>2481</b>	<b>2745</b>	<b>2793</b>	<b>2946</b>	<b>3226</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>3213</b>	<b>1042</b>

**TOTAL DELIVEREIS SINCE 1990 48 320**

## Baby of the Month





## DETAILED STATISTICS

2010	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Total
Ob/Gyn consult. HFH	849	751	923	895									3418
Ob/Gyn cons. villages	179	230	313	230									952
Ped. Consultations	178	177	191	185									731
Mammography	4	4	6	6									20
Detailed scan	4	5	4	4									17
Private cons. o/g	196	182	182	157									717
Private cons. Pediatric	71	65	59	70									265
T. Consultations	1481	1414	1678	1547									6120
TTL. Op. Del. File	24	10	13	20									67
Deliveries 3rd cl	230	189	223	260									902
Deliveries 2nd cl	7	5	0	12									24
Deliveries 1st cl	1	2	6	6									15
Del..2nd cl. private	12	14	28	12									66
Del..1st cl. private	8	11	8	8									35
TTL Deliveries	258	221	265	298									1042
Incl. C/S sections	46	38	44	55									183
Incl. Del. UNRWA	80	84	94	105									363
dont acc. P.N.A.	1	3	3	2									9
Gyn. Oper. 3rd class	22	22	37	35									116
Gyn. Oper. 2nd class	0	0	0	0									0
Gyn. Oper. 1st class	0	0	1	0									1
Gy.Op.2nd cl Private	11	5	10	9									35
Gy.Op.1st cl. Private	1	0	1	1									3
TTL Gyn. Oper.	34	27	49	45									155
Incl.op. UNRWA	14	14	21	15									64
Incl. minor g. oper.	26	20	38	36									120
Incl. major g. oper.	8	7	11	8									34
Days ob/gn 3rd cl	489	405	492	514									1900
Days ob/gn 2nd cl	58	40	73	82									253
Days ob/gn 1st cl	26	21	29	35									111
TOTAL days Ob/Gn	573	466	594	631									2264
Days neo level 1	89	157	93	122									461
Days neo level 2	236	169	142	287									834
Days neo level 3	40	35	88	90									253
TTL days Neonatal	365	361	323	499									1548
Admissions Obst.	74	111	103	99									387
Admissions Gyn.	258	221	265	298									1042
TTL Admiss. Ob/gn	332	332	368	397									1429
Incl. Ad. UNRWA	113	115	143	152									523
Adm. Neo. level 1	9	8	12	9									38
Adm. Neo. level 2	10	15	12	16									53
Adm. Neo. level 3	10	12	10	19									51
TTL Admiss. Neon.	29	35	34	44									142
incl. Ad. UNRWA	3	7	9	11									30
dont acc. P.N.A.	22	19	21	12									74
Occupancy O/Gyn	41.08	36.98	42.58	46.74									41.93
Occup. Neonatal D.	65.41	71.63	57.89	92.41									71.67



“Because  
the Poorest  
deserve the  
best”

